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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Patentee: Ole K. Nilssen  
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**SMALL ENTITY FEE CORRECTION FORM  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c))**

**Filing of Small Entity Statement**

1. On or about January 10, 2003 a small entity assertion was filed in this patent.
2. The assertion of small entity status in this application and the payment of fees as a small entity were made in good faith.
3. It has now been discovered that the assertion of small entity status may have been incorrect. In an abundance of caution and to eliminate any possible concerns and/or potential allegations regarding the appropriateness of the maintenance fees paid as a small entity, I am submitting this notification and payment detailed below.

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### Itemization of the Fee(s) Paid as Small Entity

4.

| <u>DATE OF FEE PAYMENT</u>                             | <u>CURRENT FEE<br/>AMOUNT FOR<br/>NON-SMALL<br/>ENTITY</u> | <u>FEE ACTUALLY<br/>PAID AS A<br/>SMALL ENTITY</u> | <u>AMOUNT<br/>OWED</u> |
|--|--|--|------------------------|
| Maintenance Fee, 8th Year,<br>Paid on December 9, 2002 | \$ 2,300.00  | \$ 1,010.00  | \$ 1,290.00            |
|  |  | <b>Total Amount Owed:</b>                          | \$ 1,290.00            |

### Payment

5. The total amount owed is paid as follows:

Attached is a check in the amount of \$ 1,290.00.

Date: June 20, 2006



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